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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	1 283	1 421	1 351	1 377	1 293
Unemployment rate	%	5.3	5.7	5.4	5.3	4.7
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	5 328	5 665	5 914	6 071	-
Taxable individuals	no.	20 271	20 403	20 757	20 919	-
Taxable income	\$m	759.3	786.0	836.0	878.0	-
Average taxable income	\$	37 458	38 526	40 276	41 972	-
Net tax	\$m	175.3	185.0	197.0	207.5	-
Average net tax	\$	8 649	9 068	9 493	9 917	-
Average net tax ratio	%	23.1	23.5	23.6	23.6	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	18 018	18 241	18 383	18 689	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	628.9	653.1	689.6	731.2	-
Total income	\$m	654.7	681.6	718.1	758.4	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	34 904	35 805	37 513	39 122	-
Average total income	\$	36 336	37 366	39 064	40 578	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 906	1 876	1 913	2 003	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	2 174	2 146	2 101	2 098	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	2 566	2 569	2 503	2 465	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	2 275	2 271	2 280	2 268	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	1 261	1 370	1 438	1 523	-
Males - Total	no.	10 182	10 232	10 235	10 357	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 491	1 483	1 545	1 587	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 629	1 638	1 647	1 671	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	2 068	2 104	2 093	2 019	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 827	1 914	1 959	2 056	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	822	868	899	1 001	-
Females - Total	no.	7 837	8 007	8 143	8 334	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	3 397	3 359	3 458	3 590	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	3 803	3 784	3 748	3 769	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	4 634	4 673	4 596	4 484	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	4 102	4 185	4 239	4 324	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	2 083	2 238	2 337	2 524	-
Persons - Total	no.	18 019	18 239	18 378	18 691	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	1 147	1 140	1 168	-
Professionals	no.	-	2 633	2 583	2 612	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	934	941	967	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	2 534	2 539	2 575	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	336	326	316	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	2 870	2 897	3 024	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	2 006	1 997	2 084	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	1 619	1 637	1 687	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	2 872	2 800	2 771	-
Not Stated	no.	-	1 689	1 534	1 489	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	18 640	18 394	18 692	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	2 058	1 931	1 794	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	68.1	61.1	55.9	-	-
Total income	\$m	69.2	65.6	61.6	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	33 070	31 621	31 157	-	-
Average total income	\$	33 644	33 989	34 324	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	1 310	1 227	1 152	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	36.0	31.9	29.8	-	-
Total income	\$m	38.8	34.9	34.3	-	-



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Average own unincorporated business income	\$	27 507	25 960	25 905	-	-
Average total income	\$	29 604	28 414	29 811	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	3 368	3 158	2 946	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	104.1	92.9	85.7	-	-
Total income	\$m	108.0	100.5	95.9	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	30 906	29 422	29 103	-	-
Average total income	\$	32 072	31 823	32 559	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	3 354	3 228	3 039	3 051
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	1 131	1 224	1 329	1 347
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	720	768	828	831
Total businesses	no.	-	5 205	5 220	5 196	5 229
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	447	501	474
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	207	144	234
Total business entries	no.	-	-	654	645	708
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	603	591	441
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	60	63	183
Total business exits	no.	-	-	663	654	624
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	2 376	2 391	2 370	2 361
Mining	no.	-	27	27	30	27
Manufacturing	no.	-	207	216	198	201
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	6	3	3
Construction	no.	-	585	600	594	618
Wholesale trade	no.	-	117	123	135	144
Retail trade	no.	-	519	495	498	471
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	213	228	228	213
Transport and storage	no.	-	237	234	237	246
Communication services	no.	-	48	45	48	51
Finance and insurance	no.	-	87	111	99	102
Property and business services	no.	-	522	489	477	525
Education	no.	-	33	33	18	21
Health and community services	no.	-	105	102	120	111
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	69	72	78	66
Personal and other services	no.	-	57	48	63	69
Total businesses	no.	-	5 205	5 220	5 196	5 229

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year



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Table 2: Population/People

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 834	1 789	1 763	1 749	1 722
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 996	1 999	1 988	1 990	2 045
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	2 110	2 078	2 067	2 058	2 050
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 919	1 953	1 915	1 907	1 890
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 433	1 420	1 429	1 419	1 403
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 483	1 437	1 390	1 337	1 344
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 784	1 760	1 709	1 685	1 602
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 952	1 903	1 857	1 831	1 864
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	2 108	2 141	2 165	2 157	2 104
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	2 031	2 032	2 022	2 066	2 157
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	2 058	2 054	2 066	2 042	2 042
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 895	1 985	2 031	2 111	2 147
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 529	1 541	1 613	1 677	1 800
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 246	1 285	1 306	1 359	1 384
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 027	1 021	1 030	1 029	1 045
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	663	688	737	762	802
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	444	418	395	396	415
Males - 85 years and over	no.	241	230	243	250	239
Males - Total	no.	27 753	27 734	27 726	27 825	28 055
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 667	1 628	1 603	1 603	1 616
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 940	1 907	1 884	1 833	1 838
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	2 049	2 035	2 012	2 037	2 005
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 739	1 780	1 786	1 774	1 762
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 128	1 119	1 113	1 105	1 098
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 389	1 319	1 241	1 206	1 210
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 633	1 659	1 681	1 674	1 584
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 873	1 789	1 708	1 691	1 774
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 967	2 010	2 054	2 062	2 033
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 816	1 829	1 844	1 896	1 932
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 844	1 847	1 835	1 827	1 848
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 700	1 731	1 808	1 894	1 940
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 369	1 439	1 486	1 562	1 665
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 114	1 147	1 179	1 210	1 229
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	980	980	971	977	974
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	792	798	810	793	820
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	611	596	604	624	633
Females - 85 years and over	no.	472	500	517	530	541
Females - Total	no.	26 083	26 113	26 136	26 298	26 502
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	3 501	3 417	3 366	3 352	3 338
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3 936	3 906	3 872	3 823	3 883
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	4 159	4 113	4 079	4 095	4 055
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3 658	3 733	3 701	3 681	3 652
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	2 561	2 539	2 542	2 524	2 501
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	2 872	2 756	2 631	2 543	2 554
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	3 417	3 419	3 390	3 359	3 186
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	3 825	3 692	3 565	3 522	3 638
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	4 075	4 151	4 219	4 219	4 137
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3 847	3 861	3 866	3 962	4 089
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3 902	3 901	3 901	3 869	3 890
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 595	3 716	3 839	4 005	4 087
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2 898	2 980	3 099	3 239	3 465
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2 360	2 432	2 485	2 569	2 613
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	2 007	2 001	2 001	2 006	2 019
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 455	1 486	1 547	1 555	1 622
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 055	1 014	999	1 020	1 048
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	713	730	760	780	780
Persons - Total	no.	53 836	53 847	53 862	54 123	54 557
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km ²	-	-	-	-	2.5
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	2.6
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	4.5
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.2



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Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	8.1
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	2.2
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	6.5
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	5.6
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	20.7
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	13.4
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	48.4
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	18.4
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	13.0
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	15.5
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	8.8
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	11.7
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	7.2
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	10.7
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	13.1
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	5 007
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	353
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	13 901
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	19 264
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	5 039
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	1 090
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	5 841
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	1 261
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	666
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	178
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	14 075
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	42 930
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	5 956
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	29 411
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	14 457
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	89.1
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	10.9
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	47.2
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	8.3
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	44.6
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	25.4
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	21.9
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	8.0
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	12.6
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	20.3
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	33.3
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	54.2



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BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	641	564	549	599	550
Total fertility rate	rate	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0
Deaths	no.	429	407	429	414	420
Standardised death rate	rate	7.7	7.5	7.2	7.0	6.9
NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS - year ended 31 December						
Homicide	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Assault - Domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Assault - Not domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Sexual offences	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Robbery - Without a weapon	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Robbery - With a firearm	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Robbery - With a weapon not a firearm	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Break and enter - Dwelling	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Break and enter - Non-dwelling	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Motor vehicle theft	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from motor vehicle	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from retail store	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from dwelling	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from person	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Driving offences	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Fraud	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Malicious damage to property	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Drugs - Possession and/or use	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Drugs - Dealing, trafficking	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS ISSUED - year ended 31 December						
Number		-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Domestic	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Personal	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Rate per 100,000 population						
Domestic	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Personal	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
DRIVERS LICENCE HOLDERS - year ended 30 June						
Number holding licence	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Proportion of population aged 16 years and over	%	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
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Table 3: Industry						
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	327	281	352	288	222
Total dwelling units	no.	344	309	375	333	245
Value of total residential building	\$m	50.3	55.0	69.7	69.8	57.6
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	18.6	18.2	19.7	14.6	35.3
Value of total building	\$m	68.9	73.2	89.5	84.4	93.0
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	948	1 052	1 165	1 183	1 048
Other vehicles	no.	918	978	1 079	1 182	1 029
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	1 865	2 032	2 246	2 365	2 079
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	23 994	24 448	25 245	25 574	26 017
Campervans	no.	72	98	101	116	118
Light commercial vehicles	no.	9 346	9 681	10 079	10 270	10 501
Light rigid trucks	no.	312	355	376	367	402
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	1 336	1 343	1 382	1 342	1 358
Articulated trucks	no.	341	330	325	302	319
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	40	35	34	38	38
Buses	no.	203	203	203	224	227
Motorcycles	no.	1 293	1 355	1 492	1 605	1 753
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	36 942	37 850	39 236	39 840	40 731
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	446	454	469	473	477
Campervans	no.	1	2	2	2	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	174	180	187	190	192
Light rigid trucks	no.	6	7	7	7	7
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	25	25	26	25	25
Articulated trucks	no.	6	6	6	6	6
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1	1	1	1
Buses	no.	4	4	4	4	4
Motorcycles	no.	24	25	28	30	32
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	686	703	728	736	747
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	7 952	7 054	6 193	5 359	4 587
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	22 278	23 696	25 582	26 806	28 076
Diesel	no.	6 328	6 694	7 030	7 244	7 571
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	384	404	428	430	497
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	1 284 157.1
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	75 860.9
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	482.5
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	1 356.0
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	1 392.5
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	7 987.8
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	2 128 727
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	2 854
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	350 179
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	8 809
* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0						
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